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Appellant's Reply Brief filed 19 December 2005 has been noted. The Examiner remains of the view that the Sojoodi reference's display of a palette is responsive to a user's ongoing entry of nodes in a graphical program. This means that the items presented, as in fig 7, are "based on the nodes selected by the user input".

The Reply Brief has been entered, and the application forwarded to the Board of Appeals and Interferences.

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